

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of : BRULS, Wilhelmus H.A.
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Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Examiner's decision dated September 20, 2006, finally rejecting claims 11-20.

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Respectfully submitted,

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